IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): An information processing apparatus comprising:

a first user interface configured to receive instructions to schedule recording of a moving picture corresponding to a received television broadcast signal at a future date;

first recording means for recording ~~one~~ said moving picture in at least one recording increment;

second recording means for recording a still picture corresponding to a predetermined one of said recording increments of said moving picture;

third recording means for recording information about said moving picture being recorded by said first recording means; ~~and~~

a second user interface configured to receive a user instruction to modify said moving picture recorded in at least one recording increment recorded in said first recording means.

Claim 2 (Original): An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said second recording means records a still picture corresponding to a scene switchover of said moving picture.

Claim 3 (Original): An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said first recording means uses a file as said recording increment.

Claim 4 (Original): An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said first recording means records said one moving picture to at least one storage medium.

Claim 5 (Previously Presented): An information managing method comprising the steps of:

receiving, at a first user interface, instructions to schedule recording of a moving picture corresponding to a received television broadcast signal at a future date;

recording firstly ~~one~~ said moving picture in at least one recording increment;

recording secondly a still picture corresponding to a predetermined one of said recording increments of said moving picture;

recording thirdly information about said moving picture being recorded in said first recording step; and

receiving, at a second user interface, ~~a user instruction~~ an instruction to modify said moving picture recorded in at least one recording increment.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): A medium for causing an information processing apparatus to execute a program comprising the steps of:

receiving, at a first user interface, instructions to schedule recording of a moving picture corresponding to a received television broadcast signal at a future date;

recording firstly ~~one~~ said moving picture in at least one recording increment;

recording secondly a still picture corresponding to a predetermined one of said recording increments of said moving picture;

recording thirdly information about said moving picture being recorded in said first recording step; and

receiving, at a second user interface, ~~a user instruction~~ an instruction to modify said moving picture recorded in at least one recording increment.

Claims 7-8 (Canceled)

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): An information managing method comprising the steps of:

receiving, at a first user interface, instructions to schedule recording of a moving picture corresponding to a received television broadcast signal at a future date;

recording firstly a still picture corresponding to [[a]] said moving picture in at least one recording increment;

recording secondly information about said still picture being recorded in said first recording step; and

receiving, at a second user interface, a user an instruction to modify said moving picture recorded in at least one recording increment,

wherein said still pictures are used as icons in a system configured to navigate the moving picture.

Claim 10 (Currently Amended): A medium for causing an information processing apparatus to execute a program comprising the steps of:

receiving, at a first user interface, instructions to schedule recording of a moving picture corresponding to a received television broadcast signal at a future date;

recording firstly a still picture corresponding to [[a]] said moving picture in at least one recording increment;

recording firstly a still picture corresponding to a moving picture in at least one recording increment;

recording secondly information about said still picture being recorded in said first recording step; and

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receiving, at a <u>second</u> user interface, ~~a user~~ <u>an</u> instruction to modify said moving picture recorded in at least one recording increment,

wherein said still pictures are used as icons in a system configured to navigate the moving picture.

Claims 11-15 (Canceled)

Claim 16 (Previously Presented): An information processing apparatus comprising<u>:</u>

recording means for recording a first two-dimensional code designating a moving picture recorded on an external storage medium, said external storage medium being remote from said information processing apparatus;

means for recording still picture information corresponding to said moving picture<u>;</u>

means for reading a second two-dimensional code from said external storage medium; and

means for determining if said second two-dimensional code corresponds to said first two-dimensional code.

Claim 17 (Previously Presented): An information managing method comprising:

recording a first two-dimensional code designating a moving picture recorded on an external storage medium, said external storage medium being remote from said information processing apparatus;

recording still picture information corresponding to said moving picture;

reading a second two-dimensional code from said external storage medium; and

determining if said second two-dimensional code corresponds to said first two-dimensional code.

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Claim 18 (Previously Presented): A medium for causing an information processing apparatus to execute a program comprising the steps of:

recording a first two-dimensional code designating a moving picture recorded on an external storage medium, said external storage medium being remote from said information processing apparatus;

recording still picture information corresponding to said moving picture;

reading a second two-dimensional code from said external storage medium; and

determining if said second two-dimensional code corresponds to said first two-dimensional code.

Claim 19 (Previously Presented): An information processing apparatus comprising:

reproducing means for retrieving a first two-dimensional code and still picture information from an internal storage medium, said first two-dimensional code designating a moving picture recorded on an external storage medium, said still picture information corresponding to said moving picture;

means for reading a second two-dimensional code from said external storage medium; and

means for determining if said second two-dimensional code corresponds to said first two-dimensional code.

Claim 20 (Original): An information processing apparatus according to claim 19, further comprising moving picture reproducing means for retrieving a moving picture from said external storage medium in accordance with an output from said reproducing means.

Claim 21 (Previously Presented): An information managing method comprising:

retrieving a first two-dimensional code and still picture information from an internal storage medium of an information processing apparatus, said first two-dimensional code designating a moving picture recorded on an external storage medium, said still picture information corresponding to said moving picture;

reading a second two-dimensional code from said external storage medium; and

determining if said second two-dimensional code corresponds to said first two-dimensional code.

Claim 22 (Previously Presented): A medium for causing an information processing apparatus to execute a program comprising the steps of:

retrieving a first two-dimensional code, and still picture information from an internal storage medium, said first two-dimensional code designating a moving picture recorded on an external storage medium, said still picture information corresponding to said moving picture;

reading a second two-dimensional code from said external storage medium; and

determining if said second two-dimensional code corresponds to said first two-dimensional code.

Claim 23 (Original): An information processing apparatus according to claim 16, 19 or 20, wherein said external storage medium is a video tape.

Claim 24 (Original): An information managing method according to claim 17 or 21, wherein said external storage medium is a video tape.

Claim 25 (Original): A medium according to claim 18 or 22, wherein said external storage medium is a video tape.